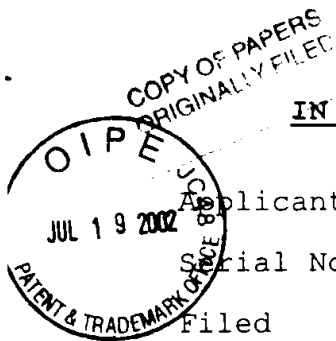


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Dear Sir:

In response to U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Action mailed April 10, 2002, Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following amendments in order to place the case in better condition for allowance or appeal.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 29, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48 and 50 as shown in the attached marked-up and clean copies of the claims.

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Claims 29-50 are pending in the application. Claims 29, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48 and 50 are amended herein. As a result of these amendments, claims 29-50 are now believed to be in condition for allowance.

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